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Louis XIV

Louis XIV is considered the most wonderful of all the Tulips, its large, goblet shaped flower is of a bluish purple with golden brown margins and flushed bronze. Handsome, gigantic, and a startling variety. This variety has been scarce and very high in price, but we have been able to secure a limited quantity to sell at one-half usual prices. Be sure to order at least a dozen of this most wonderful of all Tulips, Louis XIV.

89c Per Dozen

\$6.85 Per 100

LA TULIPE NOIR, «The Famous Black Tulip»

If you are looking for something odd and unusual—if you want the distinctively different—you have it in this graceful Darwin, La Tulipe Noire. As a background for a bed of Tulips, these velvety maroon black Darwins add the final touch to the picture, serving to accentuate and emphasize the brilliant hues of the other flowers. Planted by themselves La Tulipe Noire present a very beautiful and outstanding appearance. In this folder, we are pricing these bulbs so that they are within the reach of everyone. Be sure your order includes a goodly number of the Famous Black Tulip.

68c Per Dozen \$4.95 Per 100

YELLOW QUEEN

This is considered the best and is the most popular of all the yellow Tulips and is used by the millions in all parts of the world.

59c Per Dozen; \$4.50 Per 100

BARTIGON

Bartigon, the fiery crimson scarlet Darwin Tulip, can literally be seen for miles because of its flaming color. It is large, showy, and distinctive. The outstanding and most popular of all the red Darwins.

59c Per Dozen; \$4.50 Per 100

CLARA BUTT

The exquisite salmon pink color of this large Tulip is always greatly admired, as the bright pink is accentuated by the paler edges and white base. It is one of the most popular varieties, both for bedding outdoors and for forcing indoors. You can make no mistake in ordering the Clara Butt.

59c Per Dozen; \$4.50 Per 100

Golden Bronze

An unusual and startlingly beautiful yellow variety. The color is a lovely bronze yellow edged and shaded golden yellow. A charming contrast of yellow shades. Charming, distinctive, a variety that will stand out and attract attention in any Tulip bed or border.

75c Per Dozen

\$5.75 Per 100



GROWERS' SALES CO.'S

DARWIN TULIP MIXTURE

«Distinctive and Different»

The fame of our Tulip mixture has increased year by year. It is truly distinctive and different. The assortment of colors and varieties is unusually fine, taking in all the gorgeous colors in which Darwins are grown, including many of the finest named varieties from our surplus; varieties that if ordered by name would cost ten times the price you pay for these Darwins in mixture.

The illustrations on this page will give you some idea of the many beautiful varieties included in our mixed Darwins. Imagine a large bed or border in a hundred different shades and colors, such as those pictured, and you will have some idea of the beautiful Tulip display you will have next Spring if you plant liberally of our Darwin Tulip mixture.

Be sure to have such a bed or border in bloom next Spring, order by the hundreds, by the thousands, if you have room to plant them. There is no other way that you can add so much beauty to the garden at so small a cost.

48c Per Dozen; \$3.49 Per 100; \$31.00 Per 1000



GROWERS' SALES COMPANY, CLINTON, N. J.

ADD 15c TO COVER POSTAGE, PACKING AND INSURANCE

DUC von THOLL The rock garden Tulip, one of the earliest to bloom, only 8 inches in height. Scarlet. 72c per doz.; \$5.50 per 100

KEIZERSKROONS

Keizerskroons are the most outstanding of the Single Early Tulips. A brilliant red with wide yellow borderings, Keizerskroons command instant attention in your Tulip garden and deservedly so. They are simply gorgeous poised on their long, straight stems, and offer a color combination that no other Tulip can equal. You have surely seen and admired this king of the Single Tulips and NOW is the time to send us your order. Order fifty or so of the Keizerskroons, plant them in a bed or border along your walk and they will be the high lights of your garden next Spring.

85c Per Dozen

\$6.00 Per 100



PEONY TULIPS

This is one of the rare and little advertised varieties; you will find it listed in few catalogs, but you should surely add this wonderful variety to your collection of Tulips. It derives its name, Peony Tulip, from the fact that it is enormous in size, resembling a Peony more than a Tulip and blooming in brilliant reds and yellows. For making a gorgeous display Peony Tulips are unsurpassed and can be equalled in no other variety.

59c Per Dozen

\$4.50 Per 100

PARROT TULIPS

The Parrot Tulip—gorgeous, bizarre, fantastic. A Tulip that will attract added attention, something that everyone does not have. Gorgeous and extreme in their feathery shapes and brilliant colors. They are variously horned, toothed, twisted and waved, incurved and flattened out like a star. Their very oddity adds to their beauty and attractiveness. If you wish something distinctive, unusual and out of the ordinary, order and plant Parrot Tulips.

72c Per Dozen

\$5.50 Per 100

REMBRANDTS «The Variegated Tulip»

Rembrandt Tulips, or "rectified" Darwins are particularly beautiful as they combine the clear, solid shades of the Darwins with fantastic stripes and blotches of white, making a very unusual and desirable Tulip, especially for border plantings. Rembrandts, like the Darwins, are long-stemmed, erect and queenly and indeed present a marvelous sight as they toss and sway in the warm April breezes. Your bulb order will not be complete without a few dozen of the beautiful variegated Rembrandts and if you would be sure of your order we advise that you send it in immediately as our supply of these Bulbs is limited.

75c Per Dozen

\$6.00 Per 100

AFTERGLOW

A large Tulip of very unusual color. Deep orange suffused with salmon and salmon edge carried on a tall, stately stem. It never fails to attract attention and admiration.

75c Per Dozen

\$5.75 Per 100





HARDY NARCISSUS or «DAFFODILS»

75c Per Dozen; \$5.75 Per 100

HYACINTHS in Mixture

If you do not wish to carry out any particular color scheme but would like to have a large planting of Hyacinths—a bed or border of flowers next Spring that will present a gala array of colors—you should by all means order Bedding Hyacinths. Every bulb is guaranteed to be blooming size and for a large, colorful planting they are just the thing.

89c Per Dozen; \$6.50 Per 100

In Separate Colors

Large beds of Hyacinths planted either solidly in one shade of color, or in formal arrangements of separate colors, are very impressive and add wonderfully to the enlivenment of Spring lawn and garden views. These bulbs differ in no way from our first size named sorts, and will give splendid satisfaction. All sure bloomers. Specially priced for bedding purposes.

PINK—PURE WHITE—BLUE

\$1.25 Per Dozen; \$9.50 Per 100

Fine Named HYACINTHS

Gertrude—Deep pink; excellent spike, one of the leaders.

L'Innocence—Pure white, large; the leading white variety.

Grand Maitre—Deep lavender blue, extra large, shaded dark blue.

Yellow Hammer—Golden yellow; fine spike and bells; considered best variety of this color.

Lord Balfour—Lilac rose, dark tinged violet, enormous truss, very early; the best for exhibition purposes.

5—One of Each—Only 85c

\$1.75 Per Dozen; \$12.50 Per 100

EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS

With your order for Early Single Tulips we strongly urge that you send in a large order for Early Double Tulips. Although the Single Tulips offer a wider color range, the Double Tulips produce enormous flowers that are very showy and colorful. Early Double Tulips are particularly valuable because of their lasting qualities and their ability to withstand inclement weather. Our assortment is especially prepared and includes all of the best and most satisfactory varieties. For a particularly beautiful and showy combination we suggest that you plant Early Single and Double Tulips together, using the Double Tulips for a wide border around the Single varieties. We have ordered thousands of these Tulips, but every year the demand greatly exceeds the supply and if you would be sure of receiving your bulbs, send in your order today.

55c Per Dozen; \$4.25 Per 100

EARLY SINGLE TULIPS

With so many kinds and types of Tulips on the market today it is difficult for the amateur to know just what varieties would be most advantageous. Of the early flowering varieties, the Early Single Tulips are the most satisfactory as they bloom on longer stems than do the very earliest Tulips and the variety of colors and shades are unlimited, ranging from pure white and delicate yellow to all shades of lavender, purple, old rose and orange. By buying Early Single Tulips in a mixture such as we offer you can have a bed or border that in itself will be a gorgeous symbol of "Spring personified." Because of our enormous importations we are able to offer you the finest Dutch bulbs in a choice assortment of varieties at the lowest possible cost. If bargain hunting is your hobby, better send in your order today to be sure your order will be filled.

48c Per Dozen; \$3.75 Per 100



Dutch Hyacinths



Double Tulip



Cottage Tulip

COTTAGE TULIPS

As with the Darwin and Breeder types, the classification of Cottage Tulips is by race and history rather than any striking difference in appearance. This type is inclined to have pointed petals, sometimes turned back, and the blossom to be smaller and more slender. But they harmonize perfectly with the Darwins and Breeders, and supply a quality of clear, bright color which these lack; while they have pure yellows not found in others. Every known shade is to be found among these, from deepest yellow, pink cream and heliotrope. They blossom a few days later than the Darwins, often carrying the flowering periods of Spring bulbs into the early days of June, especially if planted in a shady position.

58c Per Dozen

\$4.25 Per 100

BREEDER TULIPS

Blooming late in the Spring, these famous old Dutch Breeders, like the Darwins, grow on tall, straight stems, but their coloring sets them entirely apart from any other variety of Tulip—royal purple and gold; terra cotta and buff, bronze, maroon—all colors denoting luxury and wealth. The blooms, too, of the Breeders are immense in size, giving them added prominence in your garden. Planted with the clear, brightly colored Darwins, the contrast is without comparison.

55c Per Dozen

\$4.25 Per 100


RAINBOW TULIPS

The Rainbow Tulip, resembling the Darwin, having the same enormous blooms borne on the same long, stately stems, but originated and developed exclusively by our Holland growers, and includes many colors and combinations of colors not ordinarily found in the Darwin Tulip. The outstanding beauty and wide range of color of the Rainbow Tulip will be the wonder and admiration of your friends and the outstanding feature of your Tulip collection. Specially priced for this season.

49c Per Dozen

\$3.75 Per 100

GIANT CROCUS



Nothing is more cheering or full of promise after the long, dull, drab days of Winter than the first bright Crocus peeping through the still remaining snow, displaying their beautiful flowers in all the colors and shades of the rainbow. You can't have too many of these lovely little harbingers of Spring and planted in your lawn or in your rock garden in scattered groups and clusters they make a

very attractive and carefree appearance. If you do not mow your lawn before May, after the small leaves have withered, these beautiful flowers will come up year after year and require no attention or cultivation.

35c Per Dozen

\$2.25 Per 100

SNOWDROPS

The earliest flower of Spring, blooming as they do before the snow is all gone, they are a beautiful sight. Pure white, the flowers are graceful and long lasting. Planted in groups they are charming; or planted with Crocus and Grape-Hyacinths their pure white flower contrasts wonderfully with the bright colors of the Crocus and the deep blues of the Grape-Hyacinths.

45c Per Dozen

\$3.00 Per 100

GRAPE-HYACINTHS

For naturalizing in your lawn, the Grape-Hyacinths are delightful. These little blue and purple flowers, blooming in clusters on stems about 4 inches in height, resemble a miniature inverted bunch of grapes from which they derive their name. Dotted all over the lawn they vie with the crocus in adding cheer and warmth to your home. Be sure to plant Grape-Hyacinths this Fall—an ideal plant for the rock garden.

39c Per Dozen

\$2.75 Per 100

CHIONODOXA

Commonly called "Glory-of-the-snow," it is one of the loveliest of our Spring flowers, coming into flower soon after the snow is gone. Once established it needs no care, and its sheets of light sky blue in very early Spring are a great attraction in borders, dotted over bulb beds, or massed in rock gardens.

40c Per Dozen

\$2.85 Per 100

